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THE STATE OF WISCONSIN

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETINGS:

I, Hauland Louis, Acting Secretary of the Group Insurance Board, do hereby certify that the annexed rules relating to group insurance were duly approved and adopted by this board on November 28, 1961.

I further certify that said copy has been compared by me with the original on file in this board and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of such original.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at the Capitol, in the city of Madison, this 2 day of November A. D. 1961.

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ORDER OF THE GROUP INSURANCE BOARD ADOPTING RULES

Pursuant to authority vested in the Group Insurance Board by section 66.919 (3) (a) Wis. Stats., and in conformity with section 227.02 (1) (a) and (b), Wis. Stats., the board hereby amends, and adopts rules conforming to statutory changes made by Chapter 461, Law of 1961, as follows:

Grp 2.35 is created to read:

Grp 2.35 Extended Coverage. Any person qualifying under section 12a of Chapter 461 of the Laws of 1961 who was insured when last eligible and who has never waived coverage shall automatically be covered as to group life insurance pursuant to the provisions of section 66.919 of the statutes upon receipt by the board of advice of insurance without employe contributions from the employing department.

Rule Grp 6.20 is amended to read:

Grp 6.20 Certification for retired employes. Upon the request of the director the retirement system shall certify as to whether an applicant for an annuity has met the requirements specified in section 66.919 (12), Wis. Stats., or that an employe meets the requirements of section 66.919 (12a), Wis. Stats.

Rule Grp 14.20 is amended to read:

Grp lh.20 Certification for retired employes. Upon the request of the director the retirement system shall certify as to whether an applicant for an annuity has met the requirements specified in section 66.919 (12), Wis. Stats., or that an employe meets the requirements of section 66.919 (12a), Wis. Stats.

Rule Grp 20.30 (1) is amended to read:

Grp 20.30 Coverage of retired employes. (1) Any state employe who in 1959 was occupying a state position under a retirement system specified in section 66.919 (h) (a) 1, b, Wis. Stats., and who retires upon an immediate annuity during the calendar year 1959 or subsequently or who is eligible pursuant to section 66.919 (12a), Wis. Stats., shall be eligible for health insurance. In the case of persons retiring after April 1, 1960 such person must have been insured under the state health insurance program during all state employment subsequent to April 1, 1960, or for the entire period of eligibility during the 5 years prior to retirement, whichever is lesser.

Rule Grp 20.30 (3b) is created to read:

Grp 20.30 (3b) Any person qualifying for coverage under the 10-year service requirement and other applicable provisions of Grp 20.30 (1) shall continue to be insured only if within 60 days after termination of employment an application for continued coverage is filed with the group insurance board and premium payments are made in accordance with rule Grp 20.30 (6).

If such person applies for an annuity he shall authorize the retirement system to deduct premiums for group health insurance within 60 days after applying for such annuity. The employing department shall file with the retirement system and the director immediately following the termination of employment of any such person a form, as prescribed by the director, certifying the data pertaining to insurance coverage.

Rule Grp 20.30 (6) is amended to read:

(6) The director may authorize premium payments to be made in cash or directly to the insurer where circumstances require such. Failure to make required payments by the due dates established by the insurer and approved by the director shall cause insurance coverage to be cancelled.

Rule Grp 20.35 is amended to read:

Grp 20.35 Retired employe coverage limited. Any person eligible under the provisions of Grp 20.30 who does not elect coverage, pursuant thereto, or fails to comply with the applicable provisions of section Grp 20.30, or discontinues his coverage shall be permanently barred from participation in the group health insurance plan.

Grp 20.15 is created to read:

Grp 20.46 Extended Coverage. Any person qualifying under section 12a of Chapter 461 of the Laws of 1961 shall be eligible for inclusion under the group health insurance program pursuant to section 66.919 of the statutes if application therefor is received by the board not later than 60 days after the effective date of this rule and coverage shall be effective pursuant to Grp 20.05 (2). Premium payments shall be made in accordance with Grp 20.30 (6), but without state contribution.

The rules contained herein shall take effect pursuant to authority granted by section 227. 026 (1) Wis. Stats.

GROUP INSURANCE BOARD

November 29, 1961